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SUBJECT: CSRP-058: INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX

PASS TREASURY AND FEDERAL RESERVE

SUMMARY: DECLINE IN MARCH PRODUCTION (MINUS 1.7 SEASONALLY ADJUSTED) WAS MUCH LARGER THAN HAD BEEN ANTICIPATED IN THE PRELIMINARY FIGURES (MINUS 0.7) REPORTED TOKYO 5687. FOR THE FIRST QUARTER JS A WHOLE THE INDEX OF MINING AND MANUFACTURING DROPPED AT AN ANNUAL RATE OF 9.5 PERCENT BELOW THE SEASONALLY ADJUSTED FOURTH QUARTER. PRELIMINARY APRIL PRODUCTION FIGURES TO BE RELEASED EARLY NEXT WEEK WILL BE AN IMPORTANT INDICATOR WHETHER THE CURRENT RECESSION IS SUBSTANTIALLY MORE SEVERE THAN HAS GENERALLY BEEN SUPPOSED. END SUMMARY.

1. REVISED MARCH INDEX AS FOLLOWS (PERCENTAGE CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS MONTHS IN PARENTHESES): "ALL INDUSTRIES" 130.8 (DOWN 1.7 PERCENT FROM FEB); "MINING AND MANUFACTURING 130.8 (MINUS 1.8 PERCENT); MINING 76.2 (PLUS 0.2 PERCENT); MANUFACTURING 131.4 (MINUS 1.8 PERCENT).

2. PRELIMINARY APRIL FIGURES WILL BE REPORTED MAY 28 OR AS SOON AS RELEASED.
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